

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 4, line 1, with the following amended paragraph:

    said Coriolis flow meter being configured to measure a density of a base fluid flowing through said Coriolis flow meter to generate a base fluid density measurement, transmit said base fluid density measurement, ~~receive a slip stream of a fracture fluid to measure a density of said fracture fluid~~; measure a the density of a the fracture fluid flowing through said Coriolis flow meter to generate a fracture fluid density measurement, wherein said fracture fluid comprises a mixture of said base fluid and a proppant, and transmit said fracture fluid density measurement; and

Please add the following new paragraph beginning on page 4, line 13: 12 ICW 4/18/07

    Preferably, the Coriolis flow meter is configured to receive a slip stream of said fracture fluid to measure said density of said fracture fluid.

Please delete the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 17, which starts with "receiving a slip stream".

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Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 19, with the following amended paragraph:

    measuring a the density of a the fracture fluid with said Coriolis flow meter to generate a fracture fluid density measurement, wherein said fracture fluid comprises a mixture of said base fluid and a proppant; and

Please add the following new paragraphs beginning on page 5, line 28: 26 ICW 4/18/07

    Preferably, the step of measuring a density of a fracture fluid with said Coriolis flow meter comprises:

    receiving a slip stream of said fracture fluid into said Coriolis flow meter to measure said density of said fracture fluid.